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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: MODULAR EXPONENTIATION CALCULATION APPARATUS
AND MODULAR EXPONENTIATION CALCULATION METHOD

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 44 pages, including 4 independent claims and 16 claims total.
2. Drawings- 8 sheets of drawings containing 8 figures.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba .
5. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-013565, filed January 22, 2001.
6. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with documents attached.
7. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Basic Application Filing Fee				\$740	\$ \$740.00
	Number of Claims	Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	16	-	20	x \$18	
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application No. 2001-013565, filed January 22, 2001.

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

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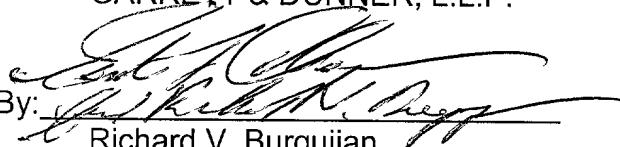
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application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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